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THE South-Carolina GAZETTE.

From THURSDAY *Auguſt* 7th, to THURSDAY *Auguſt* 14th, 1755.

PHILADELPHIA, June 26.

TUESDAY laſt being the Grand Anniverſary or Feaſt of *St. JOHN* the Baptiſt, the Brethren of the moſt ancient and worſhipful ſociety, of the FREE and ACCEPTED MASONS, went in a regular Proceſſion from the Lodge-Room, to attend Divine Service at Chriſt-Church, in this City. The Order in which they proceeded, was as follows;

I. The *Sword Bearer*, carrying a drawn Sword. II. Six *Stewards*, with white Rods, walking two and two. III. The GRAND SECRETARY, and GRAND TREASURER, who bore each a Crimſon Damaſk Cuſhion, on one of which was laid the *Bible*, and on the other the Book of *Conſtitutions*. IV. A *Reverend* BROTHER. V. The GRAND MASTER, ſupported by two Brethren of *Rank* and *Diſtinction*. VI. The DEPUTY GRAND MASTER, ſupported in like Manner. VII. The two GRAND WARDENS. VIII. Two MEMBERS of the *Grand Lodge*. IX. The THREE ORDERS, *Doric*, *Ionick*, and *Corinthian*, carried by three *Tylers*. X. The three *Maſters* of the three regular Lodges in this City. XI. The two *Wardens* of the *Firſt* Lodge. XII. The two *Wardens* of the *Second* Lodge. XIII. The two *Wardens* of the *Third* Lodge. XIV. The three *Secretaries* of the three Lodges. XV. The three *Treaſurers* of the three Lodges. XVI. The *Aſſiſting Brethren*, walking two and two. XVII. The *Members* of the *Firſt*, *Second*, and *Third* Lodges, two and two. XVIII. Six *Stewards*, with their Rods, two and two. XIX. The *Grand Maſter's*, Governor *Morris's*, Governor *Tinker's* and others of the Brethren's Coaches and Chariots, empty.

The whole Number of Maſons amounted to 127, who being all new cloathed with Aprons, white Gloves and Stockings, and the Officers in their proper Cloathing and Jewels of their reſpective Lodges, with their other Badges of Dignity, made a handſome and genteel Appearance.

When the Proceſſion came into Market-ſtreet, both in going to, and coming from Church, they were ſaluted by a Diſcharge of 9 Cannon from a Brother's Veſſel, handſomely ornamented with Colours, which lay oppoſite the ſaid Street, for that Purpoſe.

The Proceſſion entered the Church in the Order of their March, and the Brethren ſeated themſelves in the Pews of the middle Iſle, which were purpoſely kept empty for them. After which Prayers were read by the Rector, the Rev. Dr. JENNEY, and a moſt excellent and well adapted Sermon was preached by our reverend and worthy Brother WILLIAM SMITH, A. M. The Words of the Text were, *Love the Brotherhood, fear God, honour the King*, 1 Pet. ii. 17. And the Scope of the Diſcourſe was to ſhew that the Obſervance of theſe three Grand Duties is not only the Foundation of the ancient Society of *Free Maſons*, but of Societies of every Kind. The Preacher therefore firſt deduced the Obligation to theſe Duties in a clear and philoſophical Manner, from undeniable Principles. He then added many engaging Motives to a correſpondent Practice, and concluded with an earneſt and pathetic Exhortation, firſt to the Audience in general, and then to the Fraternity of Maſons in particular, to conſider that in our preſent critical Situation, our Succeſs and future Glory, as a People, depend on our Regard to Religion, Unanimity among ourſelves, and a firm Attachment to our civil Privileges, and to our gracious King, who is the juſt Guardian of them. Both before and after Sermon, Pſalms were ſung ſuitable to the Occaſion.

After Divine Service was over, the Proceſſion returned in the ſame Order to the Lodge-Room to Dinner; the Muſical Bells belonging to the Church and a Band of Muſick before them, at the ſame Time playing the Tune of the *Enter'd Apprentice's* Song. The whole Ceremony was conducted with the utmoſt Decorum and Solemnity, and, as we hear, afforded great Satisfaction to the Inhabitants in general.

After Dinner, the following Toaſts were drank in the Maſonic Manner, under repeated Diſcharges of Cannon, planted in the Square adjoining the Lodge-Room.

1, The KING and the CRAFT. 2 The GRAND MASTER of England. 3. Our Brother FRANCIS, Emperor of Germany. 4. The GRAND MASTER of Pennſylvania. 5. Our Brother, His Honour the Governor of Pennſylvania. 6. Our Brother, His Excellency JOHN TINKER, Eſq; Governor of Providence, returning him Thanks for his kind Viſit. 7. The GRAND MASTER of Scotland. 8 The GRAND MASTER of Ireland. 9. The ſeveral Provincial GRAND MASTERS of North-America and the Weſt-India Iſlands. 10. All charitable Maſons. 11. All true and faithful Maſons, wherſoever diſperſed or diſtreſſed throughout the Globe. 12. The Arts and Sciences. 13. General BRADDOCK, and Succeſs to his Majeſty's Forces. Proſperity to Pennſylvania, and a happy Union to his Majeſty's Colonies.

The greateſt Order and Regularity was obſerved, Chearfulneſs, Harmony, and good Fellowſhip abounded, during the whole Time of Meeting; and at 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon, the Grand Maſter having cloſed the Lodge, the Brethren returned to their reſpective Homes.

N. B. *Before the Lodge was cloſed, the Grand Maſter, at the Deſire, and in the Name and Behalf of the Grand Lodge, and the Maſters and Brethren of the three regular Lodges, return'd the Thanks of the Society to the Rev. Mr.* Smith, *for his Sermon, and requeſted that a Copy thereof might be immediately ſent to the Preſs, which is accordingly done.*

NEW YORK July 14.

We hear from Kinderhook, that on wedneſday the 2d inſtant, as 4 men, 2 boys, and a negro, were hoeing corn, in a field near that place, they were ſurprized and fired upon by 6 Indians, and a Frenchman, which wounded one of the men, a boy, and the negro fellow, when they with the three others, took to their heels; the 6th named John Gardineer, ran towards their arms, that were nigh at hand, and having diſpatched two of the Indians, a third cloſed in upon him, and in the ſcuffle, the Frenchman came up, and ſeeing Gardineer get the better of the Indian, he knock'd him down, with his piece, and afterwards ſcalp'd him, when the Indians made off, and carried their dead with them. Some ſhort time after, Gardineer came to himſelf and with ſome difficulty, reached the fort: He was ſo ſtunn'd with the blow he received from the Frenchman, that he was inſenſible of his being ſcalp'd, until he was informed by the people, who diſcovered the blood; but remembered the whole of their proceedings before; and ſaid, he could have killed 3 of the Indians, had not the ſecond gun he took up, miſſed fire.

We hear that on monday laſt, another party of French and Indians conſiſting of between 30 and 40, appeared at Kinderhook, and carried off a young boy, and wounded a negro man; and that Robert Livingſton, jun. Eſq; with about 40 men, were gone in purſuit of them.

By a letter from London, (via Maryland) we learn, that Capt Garriſon was to ſail from thence for this port, about the latter end of May; and that he had a large quantity of goods on board, deſigned as preſents for the Indians in alliance with the Engliſh in North-America.

Peterſburgh, April 14. The empreſs has ordered all the children of the ſoldiers in her army to be maintained and educated for the future at her expence.

Berlin, April 26. Notwithſtanding the credit a report of a treaty already ſubſiſting between this court and that of London may have met with, we are hereby convinced that nothing but the moſt ſolemn guaranty to the houſe of Brandenbourg in the poſſeſſion of Eaſt-Frieſland and Sileſia, will be the price of his Pruſſian majeſty's concurring with the emperor and the king of Great-Britain in the election of a king of the Romans, and the ſecurity his Britannick majeſty requires for his German dominions in caſe of a war in the empire, which is far from being eſteemed the moſt improbable event in the preſent circumſtances of Europe. If any accommodation of this nature ſhould ſoon take place, and that event follow, the French will have reaſon to repent their late maſterly ſtroke of Policy in Scotland, which has left the Engliſh ſo recent an inſtance of the great expence, and little ſervice 15,000 of their troops can be of in Flanders, as well as the dangers they are expoſed to for want of them at home. As to the Pruſſian troops, I venture to ſay they want but the ſervice of a campaign to prove themſelves, under their preſent diſcipline, the moſt accompliſhed ſoldiers in the univerſe.

Bruſſels, May 5. We hear, that M. de Macnamara, who has the command of the Breſt fleet which ſailed the 30th ult. is only to eſcort it as far as the Azore Iſlands.

Paris, May 10. It is reported, that a truce is juſt concluded between the king and his Britannick majeſty, for two years; in which ſpace of time it is hoped means will be found to terminate thoſe differences which were on the point of embroiling the two courts. A part of the fleet is returned to Breſt, and the other part is gone to ſea; but its deſtination remains a ſecret. It is ſuppoſed however to be gone to reinforce the French colonies.

[Perſons of the beſt underſtanding in theſe matters ſay, that in two years time the deſigns of France againſt Britain and her colonies may poſſibly be ripe for execution. The propoſal itſelf ſhews that as yet they are not ſo; and if it ſhould be accepted, will not the zeal ſhewn by the people to ſupport the government in proſecuting a war againſt France naturally die away, to revive no more; the nation be burthened for two years with an uſeleſs expence, equal to that of carrying on a vigorous ſea-war; and at laſt be obliged to fight *pro aris & focis*, under accumulated diſadvantages? What our commiſſaries have done at Paris ſince the peace of Aix la-chapelle, ſhews what may be expected from another negotiation. Indeed there is perhaps ſcarce an inſtance of our obtaining any thing by treaty without an army in the field. *Where GOD hath a purpoſe to deſtroy* (ſays the judicious Sir Walter Raleigh) *the charge of things is committed unto ſuch as either cannot ſee what is for their good, or know not how to put in execution any ſound advice.* But we hope this obſervation will never be applicable to, nor verified by the conduct of a Britiſh miniſtry.]

Hanover, May 8. On ſunday laſt we returned thanks to almighty god in all our churches for the king's happy arrival in this electorate. The king having reſolved next month to review the troops, the generals have aſſembled here to receive his orders. General Stammer, who was ſent hither by the duke of Brunſwick-Wolfenbuttle to compliment the king on his happy arrival, has acquitted himſelf laſt tueſday of this commiſſion, when he had for this purpoſe a particular audience of his majeſty. 'Tis talk'd that next month two camps will be formed in this electorate. The great number of couriers that have arrived here for ſome days paſt, gives room to imagine that ſome affairs of the utmoſt importance are now on the carpet.

Toulon, April 26. Laſt monday we received

a list of the captains who are to command the small squadron fitting out in this port, which consists of one frigate, four chebecks, and two half-galleis. He that gave the first idea of this armament, designed against the port of Sallee, knows all the soundings within that bar, having formerly been a prisoner there. He will make the first attempt with the two half-gallies, and will be supported by the frigate and the four chebecks. As the vessels of this squadron cannot contain provisions for any long time, it will be attended by several store-ships.

Rochfort, May 2. By a letter from Cape-Breton we have certain advice, that on the 10th of March, a party of 800 men and 12 pieces of artillery, were dispatched from Montreal, to reinforce the several forts, &c. on the Ohio; these were followed on the 15th by a second reinforcement from Quebeck, to the amount of 1500 men; and on the 21st, by a third detachment from the last place, of 300 men and 18 pieces of artillery. The same advices add, that supplies of every kind are continually forwarding from Quebeck up the river; and that it is not at all doubted, but that before the English (who, we hear, are in motion on the side of Virginia) can reach our frontiers, we shall be able to form a camp beyond the Erie, or employ (in what manner is judged most a propos) a body of 10,000 men, with a complete train of artillery. In the mean time Canada itself is not neglected; but all imaginable precautions are taken to prevent a surprize, as we have certain assurance that the English colonies think themselves authorized to act against us on the offensive, without waiting for the ceremony of a declaration of war in Europe. We are therefore not exempt from the suspicion of their making an attack, as well on those parts (which will manifest an open violation of treaty) as on the side of our frontiers, where their pretensions call ours in question.

Paris, May 6. The Brest fleet has been obliged by contrary winds, to return into the road of that harbour.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, *dated May* 2.

"The last letters from London advise, that France has rejected the proposals made by the British court, to suspend hostilities for two years, to put things in America on the same footing as in 1749, and to labour in good earnest during that time to regulate the limits of the two crowns in America. — The marquis de Mirepoix has declared to the English ministry, that if the French fleet be attacked in the ocean by that of England, the king his master will consider such hostility as an infraction of the treaty of Aix in Europe; which will authorize him to take such measures on the continent as he shall think proper to do himself right. This haughtiness of the French ministry proceeds from their notion, that the British court will sacrifice every thing to avoid a rupture in Europe; a notion not so well founded as it was believed to be at Versailles. The English are acquainted with their own strength, with that of their allies, and that of France The English minister at Vienna has assured his court, that the forces of Austria are on the most respectable footing. The fund appropriated for maintaining them receives, without fail, at the end of every month, the sums that feed it; and there is no reason to apprehend that these sources will be dried up, the subject being enabled, by the circulation of this money, to pay their taxes without any inconveniency. Every regiment receives its pay without deduction: And by the good regulations that have been made they are ready for service at any time they may be required.

CHARLES-TOWN, August 14.

On Tuesday in the Night, came in His Majesty's Snow *Jamaica*, commanded by Capt. *Samuel Hood*, from *Providence*, (where she landed His Excellency Governor *Tinker*, and his Family, in good Health), and lately from *Virginia*: And Yesterday Morning she sail'd for *Hobcaw*, to heave down, Capt. *Hood* intending immediately for the *Northward* again.

By this Gentleman we are informed, That on the 14th of last Month a Letter arrived Express at *Williamsburg*, from Col. *Innes*, who commands at Fort *Cumberland*, to Governor *Dinwiddie*, and was as follows,

"*Honoured Sir,*

"*I Have this Moment received the melancholly News that our Army is defeated, the General and most of the Officers kill'd, and the whole Artillery taken: In short, what I hear is very bad. I intend, God willing, to make a Stand here, by raising the Militia.*

"*Yours, &c.*

"*John Innes.*

"*To, whom it may concern.*"

That he staid in *Virginia* 'till the 20th, when not a Syllable more was come, either to confirm or contradict the above Account; whence he concludes, that there has been a Skirmish, but believes our Troops to be now in Possession of Fort *du Quisne*.

We have other Accounts of General *Braddock*'s Army, and some of a later Date than we have given our Readers; but as they all vary, and appear very confused, we shall, for the present, take no Notice of them.

MARINE LIST.

Sailed since our last August 8th. The Pearl, Jefferies, for Bristol. *August* 9th. The Dove, Drummond, for Georgia *August* 14th. The Sally, Schermerhorn, for New-York; and the Endeavour, Blythe, for Winyah.

Remains Wind bound. The Charming Sally, Stedifird, for St. Kitts; and the Anne, Bound for Poole.

Near loaded, or may sail 'twixt this and our next. The Elizabeth, McGillvray, for New York; the Prince of Wales, Clutsam, for Bristol; the Margaret & Mary, Gordon, for Antigua; the Good-Intent, Finch, for New York; the Friendship, Rattray, for Cowes; and the Charming Betsey, Hutchins, for Providence

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VESSELS *entered inwards at* CHARLES-TOWN, *since our last.*

Snow Squirrel, Simon Smith, from Rhode Island.

Just arrived.

Schooner Betsey, Jane Petrie, from St Augustine.
Snow Elizabeth, James Hunt, from Africa.
Sch[illegible] [illegible] and
Sl[illegible] New York.
Sl[illegible] , for Antigua.
Sl[illegible] [illegible], to Poole.
Sloop Sally, Jonathan Thurborn, to New York.
Sloop Charming Sally, W[illegible] Stedifird, to St Kitts.

IMPORTED at CHARLES-TOWN, Since the *first* Day of *November* last.

Negroes,	903	Hhds. of Molasses,	10
Hhds. of Rum,	1203	Pipes of *Madera* Wine,	257
Barrels,	75	Half Pipes,	81
Hhds. of molasses & claret mixed,	138	Quarter Pipes,	62
Tierces,	50	Pipes of *Vidonia* Wine,	120
Barrels,	203	Half Pipes,	3
Serons,	171	Quarter Pipes,	21
Tierces of Bisket,	274	Bushels of Salt,	15,723
Barrels,	809	Barrels of *Northward* Beef,	320
Kegs,	1112	And Cyder,	165
Barrels of Flour,	3070		
Kegs,	362		

EXPORTED from CHARLES-TOWN, Since the 1st Day of *Nov.* last.

Barrels of Rice,	91,499	Of Beef,	237
Half Barrels,	3074	Of Pork,	890
lb. of Indico.	181 722	Sides of Leather,	3479
Hhds. of Skins,	332	Bushels of Corn	11 689
Bundles,	107	Of Peas,	7,796
Loose,	458	Shingles,	773 825
Barrels of Pitch,	4819	Staves,	134,432
Of Tar,	2146	Feet of Scantling, Plank and Boards,	220 413
Of Green Tar,	547		
Of Turpentine,	1606		

Of the RICE, 22,588 whole Barrels, and 2057 half Barrels, were shipped for the Southward of Cape *Finisterre*.

PRICE CURRENT at CHARLES-TOWN, of the following Goods.

(Of the Country Produce.)

By the Barrel.		Tar,	*none at Market.*
Rice, per Ct.	40 *s.*	Pitch,	ditto.
Cream ditto,	ditto.	Best Indico,	} none.
Turpentine,	ditto.	Inser —	
Pork,	ditto.	Cann'd Leather,	3 *s.* 9
Beef,	ditto	By the Bushel,	
By the Pound.		Corn,	12 *s.* 6
Deer-Skins,	13 *s.*	Peafe,	12 *s.* 6

Charles-Town, August 1st, 1755.

Mr. *Timothy*,

AGREEABLE to the Directions of an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, *for regulating the Assize of* BREAD, I have enquired the Price of *FLOUR*, and find it to be at *Four Pounds* and *Ten Shillings per Hundred*; at which Price the Half-Crown Loave are to weigh as follows,

White 2 *lb.* 4 *oz.* Wheaten 3 *lb.* 6 *oz.*
Houshold 4 *lb.* 8 *oz.*

William Finchney, Commissary General.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO BE SOLD,

CHOICE old *Barbados, Jamaica, & Northward* Rum, by the Quarter Cask or Retail,
Very good *Madera* Wine,
Brandy, & Geneva,
Melasses,
White Wine Vinegar for Pickles,
} *by the Gallon.*
Muscovado Sugar, by the *Pound.*
Also choice *Barbados* RUM by the Hogshead — In *Broad street, by* EDWARD LIGHTWOOD.

TO BE SOLD on tuesday the 2d of *September* next, at the plantation of *Dennis Godin*, Esq; deceased, an extraordinary well built vessel, burthen about 80 tons, now on the stocks, and only wants caulking to be put in the water; as also the materials for rigging: Likewise a schooner that will carry 100 barrels, completely fitted; and a handsome well built pleasure-boat, with sails, &c. all in good order. Credit will be given 'till the 25th of *March* next, paying interest and giving approved security to

Deborah Webb, Executrix.
Tho. Hutchinson, Wm Webb, Executors.

THEODORE TREZEVENT, jun. & SAMUEL CHANLER, Taylor, beg Leave to acquaint the Gentlemen who were the Customers of *Robert Hamilton* deceased, and their Friends, that they have taken the Shop lately occupied by the said *Hamilton*, where they purpose to carry on their Business with Care and Diligence, and to the Satisfaction of all who may be pleased to favour them with their Work.

STRAY'D or stolen from *Charles-Town*, on the 31st of *July* last, a white horse about 14 hands high, branded upon the mounting shoulder *ANR* in one, and $\frac{A}{I}$ in one, and on the off buttock *AD L*, the *AD* in one. Whoever delivers him to me at *Ashley Ferry*, or to Mr. *Henry Varnor* in *Charles-Town*, shall have 3 *l.* reward. *Thomas Linthwaite.*

LITTLE or no Regard having been paid to my advertisement of having quitted *Stono* ferry in *December* last, and requesting all persons indebted to me for ferriage, *&c.* to pay: This is to give such persons notice that unless they discharge their respective debts by the 30th instant (*August*) their accompts will be put into the hands of an attorney: And all persons indebted to the estate of *Christopher Guy* deceased, are desired to discharge the same forthwith, to *Christopher Wilkinson.*

WANTED,

TWO or three *Negro Wenches* that can cook tolerably, wash and iron well, and can be recommended for honesty &c. Whoever have such to dispose of, are desired to signify (by a line to the Printer) the ages of the wenches, their qualifications and prices: If liked, the cash will be paid for them. — None that are to be sold for their faults need be offered.

THE Procession, Feast, *&c.* of *St. George's* LODGE, which was to have been on the 24th of *June*, was put off to the 29th of *August*, (*the beheading of* St John *the Baptist*), and not to Thursday the 24th of *July*, as lately advertised; of which those whom it concerns are desired to take Notice, and against which Time Tickets may be had as formerly advertised.

NOTICE is hereby given, to the inhabitants of *Charles-Town*, that the ſubſcribers, who are fire-maſters for the preſent year, intend to carry the act *for preventing fire* ſtrictly into execution; And for that purpoſe, are ſoon to make inquiry, whether every dwelling-houſe is provided with buckets and ladders, agreeable to the directions of the law (*that is*, one leather bucket containing 6 quarts at leaſt, for every fire-hearth, and ladders of a convenient length); and to examine if any quantity of hay, ſtraw, pitch, tar, rozin, oyl, tallow, or other combuſtible matter, is lodged in any place within the ſaid town, which may be in danger of taking fire. It is hoped, that landlords and tenants will be punctual in the obſervance of this beneficial law, and thereby prevent the ſubſcribers from the diſagreeable office of proſecuting defaulters.

Gabriel Manigault,
Benjamin Smith,
John Guerard,
George Sheed,
John Rattray.

N. B. Perſons poſſeſſed of fire-hooks and ſtaffs, are deſir'd to deliver them up to the fire-maſters.

ALL *Perſons who have any demands on the eſtate of* Robert Hamilton, *late of* Charles Town, *taylor, deceaſed, are deſired to apply to* Mary Hamilton, *his widow, who has qualified as executrix of his will: And, that ſhe may be enabled to ſatisfy the ſame, thoſe who ſtand indebted to the ſaid eſtate are requeſted to make ſpeedy payment of their reſpective debts to the ſaid* Mary Hamilton.

N. B. *Strayed out of Mr.* Heywood's *paſture, a bay gelding, branded on the mounting buttock thus* CB, *and on the off buttock thus* PB *ſomewhat defaced. Whoever brings him to the ſubſcriber, ſhall have* 40*s. reward and all reaſonable charges.*

MARY HAMILTON.

RUN AWAY *from the ſubſcriber's plantation on* Wando-Neck, *about 6 weeks ago, a negro man named* July, *a ſhort fellow, remarkably black, and pitted with the ſmall pox, ſuppoſed to be harboured about* Aſhley River, *where he formerly lived. Whoever brings him to the work houſe or delivers him to the ſubſcriber, ſhall be rewarded with* 5*l. curr.*

Aug. 5. 1755. ✓ William Lloyd.

ALL *Perſons indebted to* Thomas Doughty, *late of* Charles-Town, *victualler, deceaſed, are requeſted to make payment; and thoſe who have any demands on his eſtate, are deſired to deliver in their accompts, to*

MARY DOUGHTY, *adminiſtratrix.*

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Charles-Town.*

IT often happens, either for want of a proper form, or by miſtakes in copying, that ſuch INDICO *Certificates* are produced at this office as cannot be admitted. The uſe of *printed Certificates* is therefore recommended, eſpecially to planters who live in the remote parts of this province.

N.B. The weight of Indico is to be written in words.

To be Lett and enter'd upon immediately, the houſe and ſtores on the *Bay*, that were late in the tenure of Mr. *James Irving*, merchant. Any perſon inclin'd to rent ſame, may treat with *Downes & Nicholſon*, or *Joſeph Baird*: Who has a good open boat to diſpoſe of, that will carry 110 barrels of rice. *tbtf.*

TO BE LETT *and entered upon immediately, the houſe and ſtores on the* Bay *of* Charles Town, *occupied by Mr.* John Stuart, *very convenient for trade. Inquire of the ſaid* John Stuart, *or* ✓ Benjamin Stead.

ALL *Perſons indebted to the eſtate of* Andrew Slann *deceaſed, are deſired to pay their reſpective debts; and thoſe to whom the ſaid eſtate is indebted, to bring in their accompts properly atteſted, to*

✓ Anne Slann.

A Single Man that is capable of teaching children Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic, and comes well recommended, will meet with encouragement from *Jonathan Bryan* at the *Indian-Land.*

SOUTH-CAROLINA. Whereas Charles Lowndes, provoſt-marſhal of this province, in purſuance of ſeveral writs of attachment to him directed, did, on the 2d day of July laſt paſt, ſeize and attach in the hands of William Scott, of Charles-Town, merchant, the books of accompts, that then were in his hands, cuſtody and poſſeſſion, the property of *William Evans*, late of the province aforeſaid, taylor, in order to make the ſaid William Evans a party in his majeſty's court of common-pleas, before the juſtices thereof, on the firſt Tueſday in October laſt, to anſwer to the demands of Meſſrs. *Holmes & Perenneau*, *Wooddrop & Deuxſaint*, *Samuel Carne*, *William Lloyd*, *George Smith*, *Glen & Cooper*, and *William Shepard*, of Charles-Town aforeſaid.

AND whereas the ſaid William Scott, as creditor in poſſeſſion, did, on the 14th day of November laſt paſt, file his declaration againſt the ſaid William Evans, in the office of the clerk of the ſaid court of common pleas. AND WHEREAS a copy of the ſaid declaration is poſted upon the priſon-houſe in Charles-Town, with a ſpecial order of court under-written thereon, Ordering, "That the defendant do plead to the ſaid action within a year and a day, or judgment by default."

THESE are therefore to give notice, that in caſe the ſaid William Evans do not appear and make his defence in the ſaid action, on or before the 15th day of November, which will be in the year of our Lord 1755, final and abſolute judgment will then be given and awarded againſt him, according to the form and effect of the act of the general aſſembly of this province, in that caſe made and provided. *November* 14th, 1754.

ON the 7th of *July* laſt, RAN AWAY from the ſubſcriber in Charles-Town, a very hairy, ſhort, thick, chubby negro fellow, nam'd *March*, between 30 and 40 years old, Angola born, formerly the property of Jonah Collies deceaſed, and lately belonging to John Bourzegar of Orangeburg: He had on when he went away, a check ſhirt, large oznabrag breeches with ſtrings in the knees, an old hat cut in the form of a jockey cap, and an old homeſpun blue and white waiſtcoat; was lately bought at vendue; and it's imagined, that if he is not harbour'd in or about Charles-Town, he is gone towards Orangeburgh or Santee. Whoever takes him up in any part of the province above 10 miles from Charles-Town, ſhall have *Twenty Pounds* reward; and in the ſaid town or within 10 miles thereof, *Ten Pounds*: And if any perſon can, and will, give information, of his being harboured by any white perſon, ſuch perſon ſhall, on the conviction of ſuch harbourer, receive a ſum of *One Hundred Pounds* currency, from

theſe. *James Parſons.*

INDICO Certificates, Executions for the POOR's TAX, and all other uſeful BLANKS, to be ſold by the Printer hereof.

JUST IMPORTED in the *Live-Oak*, Capt. *Rodger*, white, blue, green and drab colour'd PLAINS, ſtrip'd duffils, gun-powder, beer and cyder, and ſingle refin'd ſugar, to be ſold reaſonably, by

Inglis, Pickering, & Wraxall.

Who have alſo choice *Madera* Wine, *Jamaica* Rum, and muſcovado Sugar in hogſheads or barrels, to ſell. *tbtf.*

LATELY RE-PRINTED,
and to be ſold by the Printer hereof,
The *MILITIA* Act,
The *PATROL* Act,
The *EXECUTORS* Act, and
the Act *for Trial of Small & mean Cauſes.*

SOUTH-CAROLINA. Whereas *Charles Lowndes*, Provoſt-Marſhal of this Province, in Purſuance of a Writ of Attachment to him directed, did, on the 11th Day of June laſt, ſeize and attach, in the Hands of *John Butler*, Indian-Trader, ſundry Horſes, and all the Monies, Goods, Chattels, Debts, and Books of Accompts, that then were in his Hands, Cuſtody, and Poſſeſſion, the Property of *John Kelly* late of this Province, in order to make the ſaid John Kelly a Party in his Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas in *Charles-Town*, before the Juſtices thereof, on the firſt *Tueſday* in July then next, to anſwer to the Demands of *Alexander Petrie* of Charles-Town, Silver-ſmith.

AND WHEREAS the ſaid *Alexander Petrie* did, on the 14th Day of this Inſtant *Auguſt*, in the Year of our Lord 1754, file his Declaration againſt the ſaid John Kelly, in the Office of the Clerk of the ſaid Court of Common Pleas in *Charles-Town.*

AND WHEREAS a Copy of the ſaid Declaration is poſted upon the Priſon-Houſe in *Charles-Town*, with a ſpecial Order of Court, dated this 14th Day of *Auguſt* 1754, under-written thereon, *Ordering*, 'That the Defendant do plead to the Action 'within a Year and a Day, or Judgment 'by Default.')

THESE are therefore to give Notice, That in Caſe the ſaid *John Kelly* does not appear and make his Defence in the ſaid Action, on or before the 15th Day of *Auguſt*, which will be in the Year of our Lord 1755, final and abſolute Judgment will then be given and awarded againſt him, according to the Form and Effect of an Act of the General Aſſembly of this Province, in that Caſe made and provided. *Auguſt* 14th, 1754.

TO BE SOLD,

On ſuch terms as will be agreeable to the creditors demands on the eſtate of *Joſeph Bryan* deceaſed,

The following valuable TRACTS of LAND, viz.

HARRIS's *iſland, together with a ſtock of cattle thereon, ſituated on the Weſt ſide of* Combahee *river in* Prince William's *pariſh*, Granville *county, containing in the whole* 2,207 *acres of land, moſtly fit for corn and indico,* 807 *acres whereof old purchaſe, ſurrounded with ſalt feeding marſh on the South, and good freſh water marſh fit for rice on the North, and is eſteem'd one of the beſt iſlands to the ſouthward for ſtock, &c.*

490 *acres on the Eaſt ſide of* Combahee *river, good for rice or ſawing, about* 5 *miles above the bridge! On it a large barn and landing at the door.*

650 *acres on a branch of* Day's *creek, very valuable ſwamp for rice, and a convenient place to erect a pounding-mill to work with water.*

1,250 *acres, great part thereof exceeding good rice land: and*

1,117 *acres adjoining the latter, is without diſpute as good a tract for corn, indico, and rice, as any in the ſettlements; and are on* Savannah *river in the pariſh of* St. Peter Purryſburgh, *about* 8 *miles from the town, where is a ſufficient markit to take off all the product of ſaid river.*

Any perſon inclined to purchaſe any of the above premiſes, may apply to Mr. GEORGE SEAMAN *in* Charles-Town, *who will ſhew copies of the plats, or to Mrs.* MARY FOX *and Mr.* JOHN SMITH *of* Prince William's *pariſh.*

JAMES DEVEAUX, Executor.

Whereas the *WINYAH* INDICO SOCIETY, have eſtabliſhed a fund for the endowment of a *Free-School* at *George-Town*, where *twelve* poor children are to be educated on the bounty of the ſociety. Any perſon qualified for teaching the following branches of learning, *viz.* reading and writing, the *Engliſh* tongue, arithmetic and latin, and are inclinable to engage therein, are deſired to ſend in their propoſals to the ſaid ſociety, directed to their clerk at *George Town.* *tbtf.*

RUN AWAY about *four* months ago, a negro boy, about 17 years of age, *West India* born, named *Prince*, has a large scar on his neck, very black complexion, and a sullen ill natur'd countenance. supposed to be harboured in or about town. Whoever delivers him to *Isaac Holmes* in *Broad Street*, or in the work house, shall receive TWENTY POUNDS reward. *tbetf.*

A Bright bay mare, with two small stars in her forehead, branded $\frac{d.L}{n}$ in one, and an S backwards, with five of her increase, in the possession of *Isaac Centurier*.

A middle sized bay horse, branded on the mounting shoulder R. and on the buttock ∴ over an L, with a star in his face, strayed into Mr. *Philip William's* pasture.

A grey mare 13 hands high, branded ✤ strayed into *James Davis's* pasture.

A small grey horse, branded on each buttock Gf. in the possession of *Peter Sinclair*.

A bright bay mare, with the marks of galls on each shoulder (some time past by carting), branded AR on the mounting shoulder, and has an unbranded two year old colt following her, of the same colour; in possession of the subscriber.

Any person claiming either of the said strays, may apply to *John Pomor*, J P

RUN AWAY from the subscriber's plantation on *Wambaw-Swamp*, about two months ago, a negro man named *Prince*, and well known on *Wando-Neck* (where he is supposed to be harboured) by the name of *Bullock's Prince*. Whoever will take up the said fellow, and deliver him to Mr. *John Jordan* at the aforesaid plantation, or to me in *Charles Town*, shall have *Twenty Pounds* reward: And if the said negro shall resist the person endeavouring to apprehend him, or shall attempt to escape from such person, the subscriber will give the same reward to any person who shall kill him, in either of the cases above mentioned.

ALSO RUN AWAY from the above plantation, about 10 weeks ago, a new negro man named *Cupid*, who speaks very little *English*, supposed to be about 22 years of age, very black, smooth faced, and about five feet and an half high. Whoever take him up and delivers him shall receive *Ten Pounds* reward, over and above what is allowed by law, from

May 6th 1755. tbetf JAMES WRIGHT.

WHEREAS *John Toomer*, (who on the 30 Day of *March* 1754, committed a most barbarous Murder on the body of *William Butler*, near *Charles Town*) hath not yet been apprehended and brought to Justice. I therefore hereby promise and engage to pay, to any Person or Persons that will take and deliver the said *John Toomer* into the Custody of the Provost Marshal of *South Carolina*, the Sum of *One Thousand Pounds* current Money, as a Reward.

The said *John Toomer* is about 29 Years of Age, 6 Feet high or thereabout, and well made, has Hair red, Complexion ruddy, and the Fingers of his left Hand cramp'd. 8 ELIZABETH YONGE

N B. Strayed or Stolen out of my Pasture, the trooping Horse of the above-named *William Butler*, a bright Bay, 15 hands high, with a switch tail, one hind foot white, and a blotch'd brand on the mounting side. Whoever delivers him to me, shall have £. 20 reward. *tbetf* *Elizabeth Yonge.*

THE Subscriber hereby gives Notice, that if any person pays to his deputies, any money for fees (excepting on actions with which they are served personally, and give bail) it's at their peril, as it will not be allowed by the provost marshal, who is often imposed on by his deputies, as they receive fees (and sometimes exorbitant ones) and do not render an account of, but deny having received them, so that the defendants stand charged, who (not being acquainted with the character of the deputies) may take it for a deffigo in

8 CHARLES LOWNDES, *Provoft-Marfhal.*

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of land on the *Indian-Land*, containing 450 acres, bounding to the westward on *Okatee* creek and *Andrew Verdier's* land, with a good landing thereon, about 10 acres of it cleared and has been built upon. Any person inclined to purchase, may have it reasonable, by applying to

8 JOHN CART.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on the 21st of *August*, 1755. the household furniture, books, and surveyor's instruments, belonging to the estate of *George Hunter*, Esq; deceased; also two negro men, one of them a carpenter. And all persons to whom the said estate is indebted, are desired to bring in their accompts to

William Woodrop, Executor.

TO BE SOLD *at public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the house of* William McKelvey *on* Goose Creek *road, on* Thursday *the* 28*th Instant, a choice parcel of young rising and other horses, mares and colts, being part of the estate of* James McKelvey *deceased. The conditions are, six months credit, with interest and security.* John Hamilton.

James McKelvey.

Aug. 7. 1755 ✓ James Hamilton.

ALEXANDER DOYLE, Hat-Maker, from *Philadelphia*,

At the *Hat-in-Hand* in *Broad-ftreet*,

Just above the STATE-HOUSE;

MAKES and sells the best of BEAVER HATS: And gives proper Attendance to all Gentlemen and others, who are pleased to employ him. *tbetf.*

JUST IMPORTED *in Capt.* Schermerhorn, *and other last vessels from* New-York, *choice flour in barrels and kegs, water, milk and butter biskit, and exceeding good loaf sugar, to be sold very reasonably, at Messrs.* Smith & Scott's *store on the* Bay. ✓ Thomas Stone.

THE House in *Church-ftreet*, in which the subscriber lately dwelt, to be lett and entered upon immediately. Inquire of

✓ *Anne Yeomans.*

TO BE LETT *and entered upon immediately, the house and stores (with a good vault underneath) in* Broad street, *belonging to the estate of* Paul Jeays *deceased, and lately in the occupation of Mr.* Morton Baillstore, *very conveniently situated for trade. Inquire of* the s Wilham Roper.

Inglis, Pickering, & Wraxall

HAVE just imported, in the *Sally*, Capt. *Schermerhorn*, from *New-York*, a Parcel of choice fresh FLOUR, SHIP BREAD, &c. to be sold at their store on the *Bay*. ✓

Middleton & Brailsford

HAVE lately imported, in the *Live-Oak* from *Bristol*, choice WHITE, BLUE and GREEN PLAINS; which, with all other *European* and *East-India* Goods usually imported here, also choice *West-India* RUM and muscovado SUGAR, and fine *VIDONIA* WINE, they will sell cheap. ✓*tbetf.*

THE Subscriber intends to open a SCHOOL on Monday the 18th Instant, at the House of Mr. *Sanders*, Bricklayer, in *Queen ftreet*, where she will teach READING, and all Kinds of NEEDLE-WORK: Gentlemen and Ladies that will please to intrust me with their Children's Education in that Way may depend on my utmost Care, Industry, and Fidelity ✓ *Anne Pindley.*

JUST IMPORTED *in Capt.* Schermerhorn, *from* New York *fine* Europa FLOUR, *ship bread, and white ditto in kegs; which, with* Madera *Wine by the pipe, hogshead, or quarter cask, are to be sold by* ✓ Robt. Peace Henderson.

A *Bay Stallion, about* 12 *hands and an half high the fore and hind feet white on the mounting side, and about* 3 *years old, neither dock'd nor branded; brought to me by Mr.* Peter Jennings *of* St. Thomas's *parish. The owner may apply to*

SAMUEL THOMAS.

ALL Persons any ways indebted to the estate of *Samuel Davison* deceased, are desired to pay their respective debts, or settle the same to my satisfaction, betwixt this and the first day of *September* next, otherwise they will be put in suit without further notice: And those who have demands on the said estate, are desired to bring them in properly attested, that measures may be taken to discharge the same.

Susannah Davison, Executrix.

RUN AWAY, on the 1st of *June* last, a *Carolina* born negro girl, about 16 years of age, speaks very good *English*, and has a strait finger on her right hand: Is supposed to be harboured at Mr. *Villepontoux's* plantation at *Goose Creek*, wore an osnebrug shift, Jacket, and petticoat, and also a white negro-cloth petticoat. Whoever delivers her to me, at the lower end of *King ftreet*, near Mr. *Lambert's*, shall have 40 *f.* reward. *Eleanor Nunez.*

A PALE BAY Gelding, about 13 hands high, a natural pacer having a star, and is branded WF in one or something like it. A sorrel gelding, with a blaze, about 12 hands high, branded 8 on the near buttock. And a grey gelding, about 12 hands high, branded ⊏ || on the near buttock, and e on the off buttock. Any person claiming the above strays, may apply to *Peter Tozer.*

To be Sold, at *Seven* and *Eight* for *One*, for CASH, all my remaining stock of SHOP GOODS, *viz.*

Some *Manchester* goods,
Womens, girls, and childrens flays,
Mens double channel shoes and boots,
Felt hats, and most sorts of brushes,
Tin ware, some braziers and pewter ditto,
Cutlery and other iron ware,
Blue and white earthen ware,
Coffin furniture and nails,
Some saddlers trees and wares,

And many other articles, at Mr. *D'Harriette's* house in *Union ftreet*, by *tbetf.* JOSEPH WARD.

Who has some spare rooms to lett, and an anchor of about 800 *lb.* weight, to sell; and does all kinds of blacksmiths work, at his shop on *Simmons's* wharf.

TAKEN *up at the Plantation of* John Turk *on* Saludy, *a large black roan horse, branded on the near shoulder* I K, *and on the near buttock* A. *The owner, upon paying the charge according to law, and proving his or her property, may have him again.*

Isachar Willcocks.

To be Let, and entered upon immediately, the house and stores on the *Bay* of *Charles-Town*, lately occupied by Mr. *John Stuart*, merchant, very conveniently situated for business, and has good cut houses, and a large dry-cellar.

Also to be let, and enter'd upon immediately, the house and range of back stores, and premisses situate on the *Bay*, now and for several years last past, in the tenure of Messrs. *Stubricks* & Comp. the back stores are inferior to none in *Charles-Town*, and the dwelling house has several large rooms in it, extremely well finished, with a large front shop, and a very good dry cellar.

Any person inclinable to rent either of the above premisses, may treat with the subscriber. Who has to hire by the month or year, a handy wench, who is a very good seamstress; also a negro fellow, an exceeding good bricklayer.

tbetf. CHARLES PINCKNEY.

RUN AWAY in *January* last, a middle sized, middle aged negro fellow, named *London*, but his country name is *Appee*. He came from *St. Croix* last year, speaks broken *English*, and has several bullet scars in his arms and under the waistband of his breeches; had on a white negro cloth jacket and trowsers, also crocus trowsers and a woollen cap; and took a gun, shot pouch, and some powder and shot with him. Whoever delivers him to Mr. *Box* at Mr. *Stuart's* store in *Beaufort*, or to the warden of the work house in *Charles Town*, shall have 10 *l.* reward, of *Arthur Bull.*

HIGH-WATER at *Charles-Town*. on

	August	*In the Morning.* H. M.	*In the Afternoon.* H. M.		*Sun rises.* H. M.	*Sun sets.* H. M.
Friday	15th	1 12	1 36	High-Water	5 23	6 37
Saturday	16th	2	2 24	at the Bar	5 24	6 36
Sunday	17th	2 48	3 12	an Hour and	5 25	6 35
Monday	18th	3 36	4	an half sooner than at	5 26	6 34
Tuesday	19th	4 24	4 48		5 26	6 34
Wednesday	20th	5 12	5 36	*Charlestown.*	5 27	6 33
Thursday	21st	6	6 24		5 28	6 32

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